GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
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MANUFACTURE OF TRACTORS
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of tractors manufactured by the Hindustan Machine Tools (Tractor Division) Pinjore during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) the details thereof alongwith its price;

(c) whether the price of the tractors manufactured by the HMT division is higher as compared to private manufacturers;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether the Government have taken into consideration the important aspect to compete in the market;

(f) if so, the details thereof; and
(g) the details of profit/losses of HMT (tractor division) during the last three years, year-wise and the steps taken to reduce the losses, if any?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a): The number of Tractors manufactured by the HMT (Tractor Division), Pinjore is as follows:-

Year	No. of Tractors Manufactured
1998-99	18700
1999-2000	16355
2000-2001	13544

(b): The details of the Tractors manufactured alongwith their price are as follows:

TractorModel	Horse PowerRange	F.O.R. Price(Rs.)
HMT-2522	25	201386
HMT-3022	30	212851
HMT-3522	39	234241
HMT-4511	45	271391
HMT-5911	58	335755
HMT-7511(Regular)	75	438350

(c)to (f): The prices of HMT Tractors are competitive in the market and are equal to or lower compared to that of the competitors.

(g): The profit made by HMT (Tractor Division) during the last 3 years are as follows:-

Year	Profit before Tax (Rs. in Cr.)
1998-99	34.38
1999-2000	7.91